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In re application of: Sigel)
Serial No: 09/777,040) Art Unit: 1774
Filed: February 5, 2001) Examiner: Nguyen, Kimberly
For: Surface Covering Having) Docket No. A148 1330
Gloss In-Register and Method)
Of Making)

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed in connection with the above-identified application on December 16, 2002, please amend the application as follows.

In the Claims

Please substitute the following claims for those corresponding claims as originally filed.
A marked-up version of the claims as amended herein is attached in an Appendix.

1. (Twice Amended) A surface covering or surface covering component comprising:
- a) a substrate and,
 - b) a thermoset top coat overlying the substrate, the thermoset top coat being formed from a radiation curable composition, the thermoset top coat comprising an exposed surface that includes a first region with a first concentration of a gloss controlling agent and a second region with a second different concentration of the gloss controlling agent,
- whereby the exposed surface of the thermoset top coat adjacent the first region has a first gloss level and the exposed surface of the thermoset top coat adjacent the second region has a second different gloss level.



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